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PSC SETS INTERVENTION DEADLINE IN NORTH SUBURBAN PUBLIC UTILITY COMPANY REQUEST

Jefferson City (December 17, 2004)---North Suburban Public Utility Company has filed an application with the Missouri Public Service Commission seeking approval to purchase all of the capital stock of Lake Region Water & Sewer Company.

Applications to intervene and participate in this case must be filed on or before January 5, 2005, with the Secretary of the Missouri Public Service Commission, P.O. Box 360, Jefferson City, Missouri 65102. Copies of the application should be sent to: Paul A. Boudreau, Brydon, Swearingen & England, P.C., 312 East Capitol Avenue, P.O. Box 456, Jefferson City, Missouri 65102-0456; and the Office of the Public Counsel, P.O. Box 2230, Jefferson City, Missouri 65102. The Office of the Public Counsel is a separate state agency which represents the general public in matters before the Public Service Commission.

Lake Region Water & Sewer Company serves approximately 280 water customers and 350 sewer customers in portions of Shawnee Bend at the Lake of the Ozarks. North Suburban Public Utility Company currently owns the capital stock of The Meadows Water Company and Ozark Shores Water Company, companies regulated by the PSC.

North Suburban Public Utility Company states in its application that the proposed acquisition of stock is not detrimental to the public interest. The application states that, if approved, there will be no change to current rates or to the terms and conditions of service for customers of Lake Region Water & Sewer Company.

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